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Denise Johnson)	CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE
-vs-)	Docket No. 01-0339
Illinois Power Company)	
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Complaint as to unpaid balance in Granite)	
City, Illinois.)	
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VERIFIED JOINT MOTION TO DISMISS FORMAL COMPLAINT

Now comes Illinois Power Company ("IPC" or the "Company"), together with Ms. Denise Johnson, pursuant to 83 Ill. Admin. Code § 200.180(e), and moves to dismiss the complaint on the grounds that a settlement has been reached. In support of this motion, the Parties state the following:

On April 20, 2001, Denise Johnson filed a Complaint with the Illinois Commerce Commission (the "Commission") against IPC as to an unpaid balance in Granite City, Illinois.

In the complaint, Denise Johnson expresses concern as to a notice received from IPC. She states the notice informed her about the transference to her account of an unpaid balance of \$810.68 for service at 2833 Ralph Street. Ms. Johnson alleges that after calling to an IPC service representative, she then faxed over copies of her divorce decree. She states that IPC then removed all but \$388.12. (The remaining amount represented the amount for which Illinois Power believes she is responsible until the divorce was finalized in January, 2000.) Ms. Johnson alleges that she is not liable for the bill.

Illinois Power has agreed to remove the sum of \$388.12 from Ms. Johnson's bill. As a part of this settlement, the parties agree that

- 1. no further sums are due to the other party relating to this matter,
- 2. neither party admits any of the allegations as to the impropriety of its actions,
- 3. each party is releasing the other from any and all other claims relating to this matter, and
- 4. nothing in this settlement releases Denise Johnson from her obligation to make timely payments for her ongoing usage of service provided by IPC.

WHEREFORE, Denise Johnson and Illinois Power Company respectfully request that the Illinois Commerce Commission dismiss with prejudice the above captioned complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Johnson

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Granite City, IL 62040

Illinois Power Company

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Dated: May 2ζ , 2001

VERIFICATION

I, Denise Johnson, being sworn on oath, state that the foregoing Verified Joint Motion to Dismiss Formal Complaint is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Denise Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of May, 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
DEBRA J. DUDEK
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 4-13-2005

Notary Public

VERIFICATION

I, Lawrence J. Papa, being sworn on oath, stat	e that the foregoing Verified	l Joint Motion
to Dismiss Formal Complaint is true and accurate to	the best of my knowledge, in	nformation and
belief.		_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of May, 2001.

Notary Public

OFFICIAL SEAL LAURA A. KROHE NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 1-13-2002

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Joseph L. Lakshmanan, certify that on the 25th day of May, 2001, I served a copy of the foregoing Verified Joint Motion to Dismiss Formal Complaint by first class mail, from Decatur, Illinois, postage prepaid to the individuals on the service list attached.

Joseph L. Lakshmanan, Esq.

Service List Docket No. 01-0339

Denise Johnson 2558 Parkview Dr., #3 Granite City, IL 62040